

STRATEGIC PLAN 2025-2027

VISION

An Australia that embraces its plurilingual context and values the languages and cultures of all Australians and their entitlement to further languages education and the benefits this brings to our world

MISSION

To provide vision, leadership, representation, advocacy and support for languages and languages education

GOALS

Leadership, Representation & Advocacy

- Expand the high profile of the AFMLTA as the peak body for languages educators in Australia, and internationally
- Continue to advocate for and raise the profile of the Languages learning area identified in national goals and the Australian Curriculum
- Engage in strategic collaborative partnerships and advocacy at national and international levels
- Develop and influence policy and professional agendas based on the needs of the languages profession
- Respond to national, state and local strategic or contemporary issues for the languages profession
- Provide online platforms and communication channels for information sharing and professional interaction
- Support development of leadership skills in languages educators
- Support collaboration between member associations

Research & Professional Practice

- Identify, undertake and disseminate research in languages education in collaboration with others
- Collaborate with state and territory languages teacher associations to facilitate contextually relevant professional learning
- Promote inquiry to inform practice and build capacity of languages teachers
- Recognise, encourage and promote outstanding contributions to the field of languages education
- Publish Babel as the academic journal of languages educators in Australia
- Facilitate a biennial international languages education conference

Governance & Operations

- Sustain a dynamic and responsive organisational structure and operations
- Ensure prudent organisational and financial management of the AFMLTA in accordance with relevant legislation, regulations and AFMLTA Rules